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## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

This is a request for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Restriction Requirement set

out in the above-identified application. A Fee in the amount of \$65.00 accompanies this request
for extension

Applicants invite the Examiner to contact the undersigned at the address and/or phone number provided below if clarification or additional information is needed on any of these matters.

Respectfully submitted,

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